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In consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

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   1. **Provision of Services.** Subject to the payment of all applicable Fees and for the applicable Subscription Term, Licensor hereby grants to Licensee a non-sublicensable, non-transferable (except as provided herein), non-exclusive right and limited license to use the Services and access the Licensed Materials, in accordance with the terms and conditions of this MSA and all Order Forms or Webpage Checkouts, as applicable. Licensor reserves the right to revise or discontinue certain features or content of the Services if, in Licensor’s sole discretion, such action is necessary for the provision of the Services or such features or content are minor and not disruptive to the overall use of the Services. Licensee further agrees that its purchases hereunder are neither contingent on the delivery of any future functionality or features nor dependent on any oral or written public comments made by Licensor regarding future functionality or features.

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   3. **Authorized Use.** Except as expressly stated otherwise herein or in an applicable Order Form or Webpage Checkout, Users may access the Services and use the Licensed Materials only for the Licensee's internal business activities and may store
2. Fees and Payment Terms

a. Fees. Licensee will pay Licensor all Fees in accordance with this Section 2 and the applicable Order Form or Webpage Checkout. Fees are quoted and payable in United States dollars. Payment obligations are non-cancelable and Fees paid are non-refundable unless this MSA or an applicable Order Form or Webpage checkout, is terminated for cause pursuant to Section 8(c), in which case any prepaid, unearned Fees will be refunded in a prorated amount. Licensee acknowledges that failure to timely pay invoiced Fees may result in loss of access to the Services.
b. **Invoices and Payment.** Licensee shall pay Fees according to the terms of the applicable Order Form or Webpage Checkout.

c. **Taxes.** Licensee is solely responsible for the payment of all taxes, assessments, tariffs, duties, or other fees imposed, assessed, or collected by or under the authority of any governmental body (collectively, "Taxes") arising from Licensor's provision of the Services hereunder, except any taxes assessed upon Licensor's net income or payroll. If Licensor is required to directly pay Taxes related to Licensee's use or receipt of any Services, Licensee agrees to promptly reimburse Licensor for any amounts paid by Licensor.

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b. **License to Licensor.** Notwithstanding the foregoing, Licensee hereby grants Licensor a limited, non-exclusive, non-transferable (except in connection with the permitted assignment of this MSA), and royalty-free license under Licensee IPR to access and use the Licensee Data and any other Licensee Property made available to Licensor or any of its Affiliates, solely as necessary for Licensor to provide the Services to Licensee pursuant to this MSA.

c. **Licensor Property.** As between Licensor and Licensee, Licensor retains all rights, title, and interest in and to the Licensor Property, and except as expressly set out in this MSA, no right, title, or license under any Licensor Property is granted to Licensee or implied hereby. For avoidance of doubt, the granting of any license herein does not affect the ownership of any Licensed Materials, whether tangible or intangible, and, unless expressly stated otherwise in an Order Form or Webpage Checkout, none of the Licensed Materials accessed through the Services shall be considered a "Works Made for Hire" as defined by the copyright laws of the United States.

### 4. Confidentiality and Data Security

a. **Confidentiality.** During the term of this MSA and for a period of three (3) years thereafter, each Party agrees to protect the confidentiality of the Confidential Information of the other Party in the same manner that it protects the confidentiality of its own proprietary and confidential information of like kind; provided that a Receiving Party may disclose Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party to its Affiliates, officers, directors, employees, subcontractors, agents or prospective financing sources or acquirers who need to know such information in connection with this MSA and who are bound by written agreements requiring the protection of such Confidential Information.

b. **Compelled Disclosure.** If the Receiving Party is compelled by law to disclose Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party, it shall provide the Disclosing Party with prior notice of such compelled disclosure (to the extent legally permitted) and reasonable assistance, at Disclosing Party's expense, if the Disclosing Party wishes to contest the disclosure.

c. **Return of Confidential Information.** At any time upon the request of the Disclosing Party, or in the event of termination of this MSA, the Receiving Party will return, or destroy as so directed by the Disclosing Party, all Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party, including all copies thereof and notes and other materials incorporating such Confidential Information, whether in physical or electronic form; provided, however, the Receiving Party shall not be required to return or destroy electronic copies that are automatically stored in accordance with Receiving Party’s generally applicable backup policies and which are not reasonably accessible by the Receiving Party (“Backup Media”). All Backup Media shall remain subject to the confidentiality obligations set forth herein, notwithstanding the expiration or termination of this MSA, so long as it remains undeleted.

d. **Remedies.** If the Receiving Party discloses or uses (or threatens to disclose or use) any Confidential Information in breach of this Section 4, the Disclosing Party shall have the right, in addition to any other remedies available to it, to seek injunctive relief to enjoin such acts, it being specifically acknowledged by the Parties that any other available remedies are inadequate.
e. **Licensee Data Security.** Except as provided otherwise herein, Licensor agrees and acknowledges that it shall consider Licensee Data to be Licensee’s Confidential Information. Licensee agrees and acknowledges that Licensor may use Licensee Data only for the purposes providing, maintaining, and improving the Services to and for the Licensee. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Licensee agrees and acknowledges that Licensor will treat Licensee Data in accordance with the Licensor’s privacy statement located at: legal.cbinsights.com.

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a. **Warranties.** Each Party represents and warrants that it has the legal power and authority to enter into this MSA. Licensee warrants that it will not use the Services for unlawful purposes or in a manner that infringes or otherwise violates the rights of any third party. Licensor warrants to Licensee that during the applicable Subscription Term the Services purchased by Licensee will substantially perform in all material respects with the applicable portions of the Documentation; provided however, that such warranty shall not apply to non-conformities, errors, or problems caused by acts within the control of Licensee or any of its Representatives, or arising from Licensee's negligence or improper use of the Services, from unauthorized modifications made to the Services, from use of the Services in an unsupported manner, or from interoperability issues arising from devices or equipment or browsers used by Licensee to access the Services, or that arises from Licensee’s or any third party's software or systems.

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6. **Indemnification**

a. **Indemnification by Licensor.** Licensor will defend and pay Licensee, its employees, directors and officers (the “Licensee Indemnified Parties”) from and against any and all costs, damages and expenses, including reasonable attorneys’ fees (collectively, “Losses”), suffered or incurred by any Licensee Indemnified Party, as a result of any claim brought by a third party (“Third Party Claim”) against a Licensee Indemnified Party alleging that the use of the Services in accordance with the terms and conditions of this MSA infringes any patent, copyright, trademark or trade secret right of such third party.
7. Limitation of Liability

a. Limitation of Liability. TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, IN NO EVENT SHALL EITHER PARTY'S AGGREGATE LIABILITY ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THIS MSA, WHETHER IN CONTRACT, TORT OR UNDER ANY OTHER THEORY OF LIABILITY EXCEED THE AMOUNTS ACTUALLY PAID BY AND DUE FROM LICENSEE HEREUNDER DURING THE TWELVE (12) MONTHS PRIOR TO THE DATE ON WHICH SUCH CLAIM OR CAUSE OF ACTION AROSE (THE "LIABILITY CAP"), EXCEPT THAT: (I) LIABILITY ARISING OUT OF A BREACH OF THE OBLIGATIONS IN SECTION 4 (CONFIDENTIALITY AND DATA SECURITY) WILL INSTEAD BE LIMITED TO THE HIGHER LIMIT OF THREE TIMES (3X) THE LIABILITY CAP; (II) LICENSEE'S BREACH OF SECTION 1(d) SHALL BE LIMITED TO THE HIGHER LIMIT OF TEN TIMES (10X) THE LIABILITY CAP; AND (III) THE GROSS NEGLIGENCE AND WILLFUL MISCONDUCT OF EITHER PARTY WILL NOT BE LIMITED BY THE LIABILITY CAP. THE FOREGOING LIMITATION APPLIES EVEN IF A PARTY'S REMEDIES UNDER THIS MSA FAIL OF THEIR ESSENTIAL PURPOSE.

b. Exclusion of Consequential and Related Damages. TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, IN NO EVENT SHALL EITHER PARTY HAVE ANY LIABILITY TO THE OTHER PARTY OR TO ANY THIRD PARTY FOR ANY LOST PROFITS, LOSS OF USE OR DATA, COSTS OF PROCUREMENT OF SUBSTITUTE GOODS OR SERVICES, OR FOR ANY OTHER INDIRECT, SPECIAL, EXEMPLARY, INCIDENTAL, PUNITIVE, OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES HOWEVER CAUSED AND, WHETHER IN CONTRACT, TORT OR UNDER ANY OTHER THEORY OF LIABILITY, WHETHER OR NOT THE PARTY HAS BEEN ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGE. NEITHER PARTY SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE OR LIABLE FOR ANY LOSS, DAMAGE OR INCONVENIENCE SUFFERED BY THE OTHER PARTY OR BY ANY THIRD PERSON, TO THE EXTENT THAT SUCH LOSS, DAMAGE OR INCONVENIENCE IS CAUSED BY THE FAILURE OF THE OTHER PARTY TO COMPLY WITH ITS OBLIGATIONS UNDER THIS MSA.
8. Term and Termination

a. Term of MSA. This MSA commences on the Effective Date and shall remain in effect until terminated in accordance with Section 8(c).

b. Term of Subscriptions. Licensee’s access to the purchased Services shall commence on the start date specified in the relevant Order Form or Webpage Checkout and continue for the Subscription Term specified on such Order Form or Webpage Checkout. Pricing for any renewal term may increase by up to five percent (5%) above the applicable pricing in the prior Subscription Term to the current per-unit list pricing. Except as expressly provided in an applicable Order Form, renewal of any promotional or one-time priced offerings may be priced at the certain list price in effect at the time of the applicable renewal. If Licensee purchases access to the Services through Licensor’s website, Licensee’s Subscription Term will automatically renew upon the last day of the then-current Term unless Licensee opts out of such renewal at least thirty (30) days prior to such date.

c. Termination. Either Party may terminate this MSA and/or any Order Form or Webpage Checkout by providing written notice to the other Party in the event (i) the other Party materially breaches any of its duties, obligations or responsibilities under this MSA and fails to cure such breach within thirty (30) days after receipt by the breaching Party of written notice specifying the breach, or provide the other Party with an acceptable plan for curing such breach within ten (10) days after receipt of such notice and thereafter curing such breach in accordance with such plan; (ii) a receiver, trustee, administrator, or administrative receiver is appointed for the other Party or its property; (iii) the other Party makes an assignment for the benefit of creditors; (iv) any proceedings should be commenced against the other Party under any bankruptcy, insolvency, or debtor’s relief law, and such proceedings shall not be vacated or set aside within sixty (60) days from the date of commencement thereof; or (v) the other Party is liquidated or dissolved. In addition, a Party may terminate this MSA by providing written notice to the other Party if there are no Order Forms or Webpage Checkouts in effect for more than ninety (90) days, continuously. For avoidance of doubt, neither Party may terminate this MSA or any applicable Order Form or Webpage Checkout for convenience during the Subscription Term.

d. Effect of Termination. Expiration or termination of one Order Form or Webpage Checkout shall not affect any other Order Forms or Webpage Checkouts. Upon termination of this MSA for any reason or termination of a Team License in an Order Form or Webpage Checkout, Licensee shall (and shall ensure that all Users within an applicable Team License shall) immediately cease accessing and using the Services and Licensed Materials, and Licensee must delete and destroy all copies of Licensed Materials stored on Licensee systems or that is otherwise in Licensee’s possession or under Licensee’s control. Licensee may, however, retain Licensed Materials in aggregate form that is included in Work Product, articles, blogs, or other content or materials, that were created in accordance with the terms of this MSA prior to the effective date of termination. Additionally, Licensee may retain Licensed Materials which are required to be retained pursuant to regulatory or other data-retention policies.

e. Surviving Provisions. The following provisions shall survive the termination or expiration of this MSA for any reason and shall remain in effect after any such termination or expiration: Sections 1(d), 2, 3(a) and (c), 4, 7, 8(d) and (e), and 9. Termination or expiration of this MSA shall not affect any obligation accrued or arising prior to such termination or expiration.


a. Relationship. This MSA does not create a partnership, franchise, joint venture, agency, fiduciary or employment relationship between the Parties and Licensor will be considered an independent contractor when performing any Services hereunder.

b. Licensee Affiliates. An Affiliate or parent of Licensee may purchase Services subject to the terms of this MSA by executing Order Forms with Licensor hereunder. By entering into an Order Form hereunder, the Affiliate agrees to be bound by the terms of this MSA as if it were an original party hereeto.

c. Entire Understanding. This MSA (including all Exhibits and Order Forms or Webpage Checkouts, all of which are incorporated herein by reference) constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties as to its subject matter, and
supersedes all prior proposals, marketing materials, negotiations and other written or oral communications between the Parties with respect to the subject matter of this MSA. To the extent of any conflict or inconsistency between the provisions in the body of this MSA and any Order Form, the terms of such Order Form shall prevail. Notwithstanding any language to the contrary therein, all terms and conditions stated in any Licensee purchase order or in any other ordering documentation (excluding Order Forms) are hereby rejected. Such terms will not be deemed incorporated into or form any part of this MSA, and all such terms or conditions are null and void.

d. **Equitable Relief.** Each Party acknowledges and agrees that a breach or threatened breach by such Party of any of its obligations under Section 4 or, in the case of Licensee, Section 1(c), would cause the other Party irreparable harm for which monetary damages would not be an adequate remedy and agrees that, in the event of such breach or threatened breach, the other Party will be entitled to equitable relief, including a restraining order, an injunction, specific performance, and any other relief that may be available from any court, without any requirement to post a bond or other security, or to prove actual damages or that monetary damages are not an adequate remedy. Such remedies are not exclusive and are in addition to all other remedies that may be available at law, in equity, or otherwise.

e. **Modification; Waiver and Cumulative Remedies.** Except for Licensor’s modification or update of the Services, or any policies as necessary to comply with applicable law, rules, regulations, no modification of this MSA, and no waiver of any breach of this MSA or right under this MSA, is legally binding against the other Party unless in writing and signed or electronically accepted by both Parties. Other than as expressly stated herein, the remedies provided herein are in addition to, and not exclusive of, any other remedies of a Party at law or in equity.

f. **Arbitration; Governing Law; Venue.** The parties hereto agree that any dispute, claim or controversy arising out of or relating to this MSA or the breach, termination, enforcement, interpretation or validity hereof or thereof, including the determination of the scope or applicability of this MSA to arbitrate, shall be determined by final and binding arbitration in New York City, New York (except for an action for interim equitable relief otherwise permitted under this MSA and/or unless otherwise agreed by the parties), before a sole arbitrator, in accordance with the laws of the State of New York for agreements made in and to be performed in that State. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS (or its successor) pursuant to its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures; provided, however, if the Parties mutually elect, the arbitration can be administered by JAMS pursuant to its Streamlined Arbitration Rules and Procedures instead of its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures. The arbitrator’s decision shall be reduced to writing, signed by the arbitrator, and mailed to each of the parties and their legal counsel. All decisions of the arbitrator shall be final, binding and conclusive on the parties. The arbitrator or a court of appropriate jurisdiction may issue a writ of execution to enforce the arbitrator’s judgment. Judgment may be entered upon such a decision in accordance with applicable law in any court having jurisdiction thereof. The Parties will pay their own costs (including, without limitation, attorneys’ fees) and expenses in connection with such arbitration.

g. **Publicity.** Any press release developed by a Party regarding this MSA shall be subject to the prior written consent of the other Party. Licensor may identify Licensee as a user of the Services by referencing Licensee’s name and logo, provided that such reference is consistent with Licensee’s generally applicable branding guidelines and that Licensor will cease making such references after receiving written notice from Licensee to do so.

h. **Assignment.** Neither Party may assign any of its rights or obligations hereunder, whether by operation of law or otherwise, without the prior express written consent of the other Party; provided, however, Licensor may assign this MSA in its entirety, together with all rights and obligations hereunder, without consent of Licensee, in connection with a merger, acquisition, corporate reorganization, or sale of all or substantially all of its assets related to this MSA. Any attempt by a Party to assign its rights or obligations under this MSA in breach of this section shall be void and of no effect. Subject to the foregoing, this Agreement shall bind and inure to the benefit of the Parties, their respective successors and permitted assigns.

i. **Notices.** All notices under this MSA shall be in writing and shall be delivered to the emails or addresses first set forth in the Order Form(s) or Webpage Checkout(s), as applicable. Either Party may change its address for notice by giving notice of such address change in the manner provided herein. All communications and notices to be made or given pursuant to
10. Definitions.

a. "Affiliate" of a Party means any entity that, directly or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with, such Party. For purposes of this definition, the "control" of an entity (and the correlative terms, "controlled by" and "under common control with") means the direct or indirect ownership or control of more than 50% of the voting interests of such entity.

b. "Confidential Information" means all confidential and proprietary information of a Party ("Disclosing Party") disclosed to the other Party ("Receiving Party"), whether orally or in writing, that is either marked or designated as confidential at the time of disclosure to the Receiving Party, or that a reasonable person should consider confidential or proprietary given the nature of the information and the circumstances under which it is disclosed, including pricing and other terms set forth in an Order Form or Webpage Checkout. The Licensor Property shall constitute Licensor’s Confidential Information regardless of the means or manner by which it is disclosed. Licensee Data shall constitute Confidential Information. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Confidential Information shall not include any information that a Receiving Party can show: (i) is or becomes generally known to the public without breach of any obligation owed to the Disclosing Party; (ii) was known to the Receiving Party prior to its disclosure by the Disclosing Party; (iii) was independently developed by the Receiving Party without reference to any Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party (excluding patentable subject matter which is not subject to this exclusion); or (iv) is received from a third party without breach of any obligation owed to the Disclosing Party.

c. "License" means a current and valid license to access or use the Services, and which may include, but is not limited to, purchased subscription to the Services for one or more Users associated with a Team License, or any other valid and authorized right/license as permitted by Licensor.

d. "Licensed Materials" means all content and data and reports, including without limitation, metrics, calculations, text, research, ratings, rankings, opinions, photographs, video, audio, graphics, tools, analytics, functionality, products and information displayed and/or otherwise provided by the Services.

e. "Licensee Data" means, other than the Utilization Data, all data or information submitted, electronic or otherwise, by or on behalf of Licensee to the Services and/or to Licensor.

f. "Licensee Property" means (i) the Licensee Data, and (ii) all patent, copyright, trade secret or other intellectual property rights embodied in or related to any of the foregoing (the "Licensee IPR").

g. "Documentation" means all documentation and other instructional material, if applicable, made available by Licensor regarding the use of the Services.

h. "Fees" means all fees specified in or otherwise incurred pursuant to an Order Form or Webpage Checkout.

i. "Licensor Property" means (i) the Services, (ii) all Licensed Materials supplied by Licensor in connection with, or used by Licensor in providing, any of the foregoing, and (iii) all patent, copyright, trade secret, trademark or other intellectual property rights embodied in or related to any of the foregoing. For clarity, Licensor Property includes Utilization Data and any information, data, or other content derived from Licensor’s authorized monitoring of any User’s access to or use of the


Exhibit A

Additional Yardstiq Terms of Service

1. Definitions.

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Analyst: The individual leading the conversation with a Buyer. Analysts ask Buyers structured and specific questions regarding the Buyer’s purchase process and/or use of a particular software product.

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